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Tommy G. Thompson, Governor William J. McCoshen, Secretary

September 1, 1995

The Honorable David Prosser Speaker of the Assembly Room 101 Martin Luther King Blvd Madison, WI 53702

Dear Representative Prosser:

In compliance with s. 227.19 (2), Stats., the Department of Development hereby submits the final draft of the proposed rule (CR-95-123) relating to the Recycling Rebate and recycling Loan and Grant Program.

1995 Wisconsin Act 27 and 1993 Wisconsin Act 75 together removed administrative resposibility for awarding recycling rebates and recycling loans and grants from the Department of Development. Chapter DOD 23 contains the procedures and standards for the selection of recycling rebate and recycling loan and grant recipients. The proposed order repeals Chapter DOD 23 relating to the award of recycling rebates and recycling loans and grants in order to conform to the statutory changes. The Department held a hearing on the proposed rule on August 31, 1995 in Madison. No one appeared or commented on the proposed rule. The Legislative Council Clearinghouse report did not recommend any changes.

Copies of the fiscal estimate, regulatory flexibility analysis and the final draft rules are enclosed. If you have any questions about the rule, please contact Dennis Fay at 266-6747.

Sincerely

Secretary

Enclosure

NOTICE OF HEARING

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN That pursuant to s. 560.12 (7), and 560.602, Stats., the Wisconsin Department of Development will hold a hearing to consider the repeal of Chapter DOD 23 interpreting ss. 560.12, and 560.65, Stats., relating to the recycling rebate and recycling grant and loan programs at the following place and time: Department of Development, Room 918, 123 West Washington Avenue, Madison, Wisconsin on August 31, 1995 at 2:00 p.m.

Analysis Prepared by the Department of Development

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Final Regulatory Flexibility Analysis

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN That pursuant to s. 227.19 (3) (e), Stats., the proposed rule will have no impact on small business. The final regulatory flexibility analysis as required by s. 227.17 (3) (f), Stats., is as follows:

- 1. Method of reducing impact of the rule on small business: None.
- 2. Issues raised during the hearing: None.
- 3. Nature of reports and estimated cost of preparation: None.
- 4. Nature and cost of other measures: None.
- 5. Additional costs to the agency for administering or enforcing a rule which includes methods specified under s. 227.114 (2), Stats: None.
- 6. Impact on public health, safety and welfare caused by including in the rules any method specified under 227.114 (2), Stats: None.

<u>Fiscal Estimate</u>

The proposed rule has no fiscal effect.

Contact Person

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Pursuant to the authority vested in the Department of Development by s. 560.12 (7) and 560.602, Stats., the Department of Development hereby repeals rules relating to the recycling rebate and recycling loan and grant programs.

SECTION 1. Chapter DOD 23 is repealed.

EFFECTIVE DATE: The regulations set forth in this order shall be effective on the first day of the month following publication in the Wisconsin administrative register as provided in s. 227.22 (2) (intro.), Stats.

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| | William J. McCoshen Secretary |